

## Message Text

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INFO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI  
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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, IR, YS  
SUBJ: US-PDRY RELATIONS

REF: STATE 244210

ON OCT 12 PL COUNS BRIEFED MFA DIRECTOR GENERAL (FOR ASIA AND AFRICA) NAYERI ON PROSPECT OF MOVEMENT IN US RELATIONS WITH PDRY PER REFTEL. NAYERI MADE CAREFUL NOTES. HE CONFIRMED THAT IRANIAN GOVERNMENT HAS NO OBJECTIONS AND IN FACT SEES THIS AS STEP IN RIGHT DIRECTION. REFLECTING GOI'S CAUTION ON PDRY, NAYERI GAVE IT AS HIS PERSONAL OPINION THAT PDRY LEADERS ARE SINCERE NEITHER WITH THE SOVIETS NOR WITH THE SAUDIS BUT ARE SIMPLY PLAYING AND THEIR OWN INTERESTS. HE THOUGHT THESE INTERESTS MIGHT BE MORE PERSONAL THAN NATIONAL. HOWEVER, PDRY LEADERS ARE NOT FOOLS. RECOGNIZING SAUDIS WITH FULL POCKETS AND GREAT HATE FOR COMMUNISM, PDRY LEADERS ARE HAPPY TO TAKE SAUDI HANDOUTS. NEVERTHELESS, HE NOTED REPORTS  
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A FEW MONTHS AGO THAT PDRY AUTHORITIES HAD REMOVED DHOFARI REBELS FROM PROXIMITY TO OMANI FRONTIER AND APPEARED STILL TO BE SEALING THE BORDER AGAINST DHOFARI REBEL OPERATIONS IN OMANI TERRITORY. THUS, HE THOUGH, SOME MOVEMENT WAS POSSIBLE DESPITE CONTRARY SURFACE MANIFESTATIONS SUCH AS PRESIDENT RUBAYA ALI'S SPEECH TO UNGA.

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